

# Greater Springfield Chapter CISV USA

March, 2019



**CISV educates and inspires for a more just and peaceful world.**

## Spaghetti Dinner Celebration on March 10th

### Save the Date!

Meet and mingle with fellow CISV Springfield families at our Chapter Meeting and Spaghetti Dinner from 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm on Sunday, March 10th. The cost is \$10 per person, and children under 5 eat free. The dinner will be held at the spacious Chicopee Elks Lodge, 431 Granby Road, Chicopee, MA.

The meeting portion of the evening will consist of a chapter update and a membership vote on changes to our chapter by-laws (check your e-mail next week for details). The event will also be a kickoff fundraiser for the Village CISV Springfield will be hosting in the summer of 2020!

Please RSVP by emailing [president@cisvspringfield.org](mailto:president@cisvspringfield.org). Payments for the dinner may be made by clicking the "donate" button on our [website](#), or via cash or check at the door.

## March Delegate Spotlight

### Nora McMahon: A Family Tradition of CISV!



At only 11 years old, Nora McMahon of Longmeadow, Massachusetts, is already a CISV veteran! She has attended several local mini-camps and events and she ran in our 5K fundraiser last spring (see photo of Nora at left, having just crossed the 5K finish line).

Nora's older brothers, Joe and Tommy, have both participated extensively in CISV at home and abroad (through Village, Step-Up, and Interchange) and the McMahon family hosted a CISV delegate from Lyon, France in 2017. This year, Nora will have her own international adventure when she represents

## Upcoming CISV Events ...

- Sunday, March 10th: 2019 delegates and parents meet from 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm at the Chicopee Elks Club, 431 Granby Road, Chicopee, MA.
- Sunday, March 10th: Spaghetti dinner and membership meeting from 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm at the Chicopee Elks Club. See article in this newsletter.
- Friday, April 12th - Sunday, April 14th: New England Regional Mini-Camp in Bangor, Maine for CISV Springfield members ages 10+.
- Friday, May 24th - Monday, May 27th: National Mini-Camp in Detroit, Michigan for CISV Springfield members ages 11+.



CISV Springfield in our delegation to the Village in Aarhus, Denmark.

Nora is thrilled to be joining the family tradition this summer! "CISV is a fun way to go to someplace different," says Nora. "I would love to go to Village because my brothers both went and I think that if I go we can share our experiences together!"

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